

**CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)**

Applicants: **Patrick A. Aliffi et al.**  
 Application No.: **Not yet assigned** Filed: **Herewith**  
 For: **System and Method for Facilitating Reciprocal Small Business Financial Information Exchanges**

**Equifax, Inc.**, a corporation of the State of Georgia, certifies that it is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the patent application identified above by virtue of a chain of title from the inventors of the patent application identified above, to the virtue of either:

- A. ☒ An assignment from the inventor(s) of the patent application identified above. The document was recorded in the Patent and Trademark Office at Reel \_\_\_\_\_, Frame \_\_\_\_\_, or a copy thereof is attached.

OR

- B. ☐ A chain of title from the inventor(s), of the patent application identified above, to the current assignee as shown below:

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The undersigned (whose title is supplied below) is empowered to sign this certificate on behalf of the assignee.

Date: 10/23/01

  
 Signature

Name: Shawn R. Holtzclaw

Title: General Counsel *VP & Secretary*  
*Trademark Counsel*

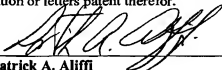
## ASSIGNMENT

WHEREAS, we, **Patrick A. Ajiffi**, a citizen of the United States of America, with a post office address of 7250 Wyngate Drive, Cumming, Georgia 30040; **Barbara Jo Ellison**, a citizen of the United States of America, with a post office address of 765 Jane Wallace Lane, Alpharetta, Georgia 30004; **Nader Mir**, a citizen of the United States of America, with a post office address of 4175 Bellflower Drive, Alpharetta, Georgia 30005; and **Frank D. Brewer, Jr.**, a citizen of the United States of America, with a post office address of 10425 Turner Road, Roswell, Georgia 30076 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNORS), have invented certain inventions and improvements disclosed in an application for Letters Patent entitled “**System and Method for Facilitating Reciprocatve Small Business Financial Information Exchanges,**” and about to be filed in the United States Patent and Trademark Office; and

WHEREAS, EQUIFAX, INC., a corporation of the State of Georgia, having a principal place of business at 1550 Peachtree Street, N.W., Atlanta, Georgia 30309 (hereinafter referred to as ASSIGNEE), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to the invention and in and to any letters patent that may be granted therefor in the United States and in any and all foreign countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exchange for good and valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, ASSIGNORS hereby sell, assign and transfer unto said ASSIGNEE, the entire right, title and interest in and to said invention, said application and any and all letters patent which may be granted for said invention in the United States of America and its territorial possessions and in any and all foreign countries, and in any and all divisions, reissues and continuations thereof, including the right to file foreign applications directly in the name of ASSIGNEE and to claim priority rights deriving from said United States application to which said foreign applications are entitled by virtue of international convention, treaty or otherwise, said invention, application and all letters patent on said invention to be held and enjoyed by ASSIGNEE and its successors and assigns as fully and entirely as the same would

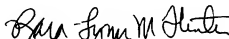
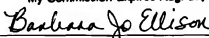
have been held and enjoyed by ASSIGNORS had this assignment, transfer and sale not been made. ASSIGNORS hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue all letters patent on said invention to ASSIGNEE. ASSIGNORS agree to execute all instruments and documents required for the making and prosecution of applications for United States and foreign letters patent on said invention, for litigation regarding said letters patent, or for the purpose of protecting title to said invention or letters patent therefor.

  
Patrick A. Aliffi

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001, personally appeared Patrick A. Aliffi, who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.

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NOTARY PUBLIC  
My Commission Expires:  
KARA-LYNN M. HUNTER  
Notary Public, DeKalb County, Georgia  
My Commission Expires Aug. 27, 2002  
  
Barbara Jo Ellison

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 17 day of OCTOBER, 2001, personally appeared Barbara Jo Ellison, who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as her free act and deed.

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Nader Mir

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001, personally appeared **Nader Mir**, who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.

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Frank D. Brewer, Jr.

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Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State of Georgia, on this 17<sup>th</sup> day of October, 2001, personally appeared **Frank D. Brewer, Jr.**, who being duly sworn, signed and acknowledged the foregoing Assignment as his free act and deed.

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